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TO: PRESIDENT CARTER

FROM: [redacted] I PL

SUBJECT: [redacted] DIED IN GUYANA. REQ. ASST. RE: FUNERAL EXPENSES FROM MONEY RECOVERED FROM JONES CULT.

RESPONSE:

CLOSED OUT:

BY DIRECTION OF THE PRESIDENT:

PAMELA ZINN

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF CORRESPONDENCE

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Dear Mr. President,

I'm writing you regarding several things. First, there are all sorts and means of helping the less advantage people, such as Welfare (and there are so people on welfare who could be working) and low rent, the federal housing authority and the public housing agency. Then they get th food stamps for little or nothing, there is the senior people's discount and senior plop home. Secondly, there are the more advanta or "rich" people. Now, they are benefiting fro the tax cut, and from the community redevelopment, whereas if this type of work wa done in my neighborhood we would have to pay for it. Third, there are what you migh call the middle class people. Now I put it int this category: [redacted]

[redacted] My money goes to the Welfare, it is used to help with the senior citizens discou Now, I am benefiting from the tax cut right now, but when it is time for income tax returns, IRS always manage to make me pa money back.

[redacted]

[redacted] there is no way for us to get ahead. We have even considered stop working and sitting on welfare. We have

considered this because, there are [redacted] who have died (possibly over in Guyana. We would like to have a funeral (one big funeral) but we can't afford it. Is there any way humanly possible that United States can recover the money found over in Guyana in Jim Jones cult to help pay for these funerals.

Fourth, I would like to know how, [redacted] was receiving social security checks over there. Will these checks be returned to the family or will they go back to the government. [redacted] also cashed in insurance policies to give to Jim Jones. I would just like to know how this money will be divided or who will be responsible for taking care of it. I am another who had wrote the United States embassy regarding [redacted] over there and I got no satisfaction from the letter that they sent me. I still have the letter should you want to see it.

Mr. President if there is a way to recover this money, could you possibly assist me with any type of aid or suggest any type of help. I am not asking for anything for myself, but I am desperate for assistance on these 6 funerals. I would appreciate your response in my grieving moments as soon as possible. On the next page you will find a list of name of [redacted]

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The one [redacted] is the only body already identified. The others are not among the survivors, so there is only a matter of time for identification on the others.

Thank you very much for your time and understanding as well as your consideration.

Sincerely Yours,

[redacted]

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